# **Special Issue**

# Advances in Cenozoic Paleoceanography with Emphasis in Micropaleontological Proxies

## Message from the Guest Editors

Understanding the ocean's role in past climate is of fundamental importance for climate change predictions. Paleoceanographic proxies from marine sediment records provide essential information to understand and reconstruct Earth's past history, including climate change, oceanography, and biogeochemical cycles in the ocean. This special issue aims to publish innovative studies that include methods for tracing past water masses and hydrographic changes during the Cenozoic, reconstructing ocean-biosphere-atmosphere-climate interactions and applied biostratigraphy, using micropaleontological proxies, and/or their isotopic and geochemical composition. The areas of major interest for this special issue are, but not limited to:

- Evolutionary biology, biometry, biodiversity and molecular phylogeny
- Biostratigraphy
- Biogeochemistry and biomineralization
- Paleoecology and past biotic-abiotic interactions
- Modern field observations: water samples, sediment traps, and surface sediment coring studies
- Calibration and validation of new proxies

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